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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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Semiconductor Device With Layered Interconnect Structure

Art Unit:

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Examiner:

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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner For Patents

June 29, 2004

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit the filing of a response within the four month subsequent to the expiration of the shortened statutory period set by the filing of a Notice of Appeal on December 29, 2003.

A payment in the amount of \$1480.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 501.36931CX1).

Respectfully submitted,

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